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Applicant:	Liang <i>et al.</i>	Examiner:	Tran, Quoc A.
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Title:	SCALABLE DERIVATIVE SERVICES		

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for a Two (2) month Extension of Time to respond to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on December 4, 2006. With the extension, the deadline for response is May 4, 2007. Applicant respectfully submits that the filing of this response on May 4, 2007 is timely. We attach a credit card payment form for the extension fee in the amount of \$450.00 (large entity) herewith.

Kindly charge any additional fees associated with this filing or credit any overpayments to our credit card.

Respectfully submitted,  
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